# SAMAR IS PEACEFUL

All Pleased Except the Professional Insurrecto.

CUBAN INDEPENDENCE

HAS HAD A WONDERFUL EFFECT ON THE FILIPINOS.

Gen. Grant on Tour of Inspection-Going Back to Maliobog-American Woman's Warning.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star. GUINAN, Samar, P. I., June 16, 1902. This rebellious old island is now worrying along on peaceful lines, and everybody appears to be pleased, except the professional insurrecto, whose vocation is gone for the present, and he must work, which he knows little of, or starve. It is a hard matter for a native to starve among all this wild vegetation, but an American would in a very short time, as was shown by the lamentable

experience of the detachment of marines on

this island a short time ago. The return of peace was celebrated here in many ways. The principal event was a dinner and ball given by the presidente of the town to the American officers. It was a grand affair, and must have cost the wily old gentleman quite a snug sum. He is very wealthy, however, and he makes his money easily, and I imagine the taxpayers will eventually pay for the fete, as their system of taxation is very thorough. There is no form of property too mean to be taxed. They have organized machines sim-liar to Tammany Hall. Three or four men in town get practically all and the balance get the crumbs.

I saw an illustration of this a few days

ago, when the quartermaster paid out quite a large sum for wood. The padre got the lion's share, the presidente about one-third and the vice presidente the balance.

### Many Insurrectos Surrender.

Many insurrectos have surrendered here within the past two weeks, and it has been interesting to converse with some of them, as they were our direct foes on several occasions, and they seemed well informed of all our movements since arrival on the island. They no doubt got their information from people living here who pretended to be our friends.

There is engaged in business here a Spantard who has been greatly trusted by the Americans, as his place is patronized prin-cipally by the officers. He gave many dances to the officials, on which occasions he would get the prettiest girls in town together at his house, and would drill them to act their best. In consequence he ac-quired a pull, and was allowed many privleges not accorded to the other business

One of the prettiest girls in town boycotted the Spaniard's dances, and this made him very wrathy, as he depended on her to shine at his affairs. After sending several messengers to her house ordering her to come, he finally went himself, and, her refusing to attend his dance, he started to say many mean things in Spansh. The young woman had a particular friend in an American soldier who happened in at this moment, and, taking in the stuation, did not deliberate on the whys wherefores, but started in to destroy the The latter, however, was not look-

days previous to the massacre at Ba-langiga, last September. At this time he the order called for all American goods, through the commissary and failed.
It is not to be expected that the Spanfined to a portion of Luzon and Mindanao.

lards could love us fervently, but they should not resort to treachery with the Filipino against us. Dooley says: "They our go were our friends until they sold us the future. Philippines," but I think their friendship ceased long before that gold-brick transac-

I was told only a few days ago by an intelligent woman that another Spanish business man in this town had told her that day that there would soon be another war between Spain and America, and that the former would retake the Philippines, as she engaged in building many powerful battle ships.

may be a good thing to lose these is lands, but not in the manner above men-tioned. We will have to bear the burden, as, to quote Mr. Dooley again, "We can't throw them in the back alley when any-body ain't lookin'."

## Effect of Cuban Independence.

Handing Cuba her independence has placed us in a different light before these people, and I think the news of the same ed her she was greatly pleased and at once was the intention of America to grant the same when it is clearly demonstrated that appeared to be satisfied and remarked that, outside of independence, she felt that the Filipinos would rather be under Ameri-

can rule than any other power.

This island will soon be under civil rule and all the ports opened to trade. Business is picking up rapidly and it is to be hoped that the people will soon be pros-perous again and soon recover from the ravages of war. This island has been thor-oughly treated to the "march to the sea"

tactics and will take a long time to fully We hear no more of war on this island except through the papers at home, which contain the investigation of Congress re-garding the campaign here. It was severe, but conducted on the lines of '63, and it was successful. I see that quite a number

of officers are being tried for the manner in which they brought the insurrectos to time, but I imagine it is necessary, and they will all, no doubt, be acquitted.

The "water cure," I notice, has obtained wide publicity and will probably be discon-tinued as a method of opening a conver-sation with one not inclined to talk. Sev-

eral men of this town have at stated times in the past become quite valuable under its influence. They could, no doubt, give expert testimony on the subject, although it might be necessary to again give the treatment in order to compel them to do so. Commenting on some of the witnesses before the committee on the "water cure," a Manila paper says of a lieutenant of v unteers who was with Gomez in Cuba, and wrote a book on the subject: "We cannot understand how he can give testime water in the Philippines, as he evidently did not drink any while over here and had the reputation of being as good a judge of whisky as ever trod a transport

## Gen. Grant on Inspection Tour.

General Fred Grant is expected here tomorrow on a tour of inspection and everything is being brightened up. The natives are diligently cleaning up the town, and I imagine the general will be pleased at his industrious. From rumors it is thought this will be made headquarters soon. We have had no cholera yet, while Taclaban, across the bay, has been having a hard time of it. Captain Z. B. Vance, son of the late distinguished senator from South Carolina, is in command of this station. He thoroughly

understands how to treat the natives, and they like him and respect him.

A general order published at Manila warned the soldiers as to what they should eat and drink over here, and stated that it was healthy to drink beer-that is, a little cure," which has the same effect on the hour,



"You Can Have It Charged."

## The \$8 and \$10 Crash Suits at =

Here's the limit for littleness in men's clothing pricingand probably the smallest price ever asked for a man's thoroughly good quality suit.

They're the Wool Crash Suits, and just 125 in round numbers. Plenty of summer yet to come, and another good summer's wear in every suit. Sizes 34 to 40; 2-button double-breasted and 3-button single-breasted.

And think of the price. Could \$3.75 ever or anywhere buy so much or be spent to greater satisfaction?

But come Friday.

### The Great Trousers Sale.

Men's Trousers made to sell as high as \$3-

Men's Trousers made to sell as high as \$4-\$2.50.

Men's Fine Trousers made to sell up to \$6.50— \$3.75.

## The \$8.75 Suit Sale.

Up to \$13.50 are the regular prices-and the serges are included; thibets, cheviots, cassimeres, etc. Every suit is of the high-class making and are weights for summer and early fall.

## Some Remarkable Offerings in the Closing Out of the Men's Sum= mer Wear.

### \$4 Serge Coats at \$2.50.

Men's Finest Blue and Black Serge Coats, single and double breasted; sizes up to 46-a splendid chance for large men. \$4 is the real value. Friday, \$2.50.

Men's \$2.50 Light-weight Coats, 25c.

A wonderful chance for saving-Men's Brown Crash and Blue Stripe and Check Linen Coats, sizes 33, 34, 35 and 36; sell mostly at \$2.50. Friday, 25c.

Men's \$2.50 Blue Check and Stripe Linen Trousers, sell-

Men's Covert Cloth Bike Pants, double military seat, golf bottoms, 38 and 40 waist measure; sell at \$1.50-25c. Men's Stripe Flannel Trousers, sizes 34, 35 and 36 waist;

sell at \$2.50-\$1.50. Men's Crash and Linen Trousers-choice of any pair sold

Men's Vests, blue and black serge, cassimeres and cheviots, all sizes. Worth up to \$2.50-75c.

stomach as salt water has if taken in keg | TROUBLE IN CLOSING SCHOOLS. It is no doubt healthy to drink a little beer daily here, but the price is out of the-

reach of the private soldier, except on pay days, and then he absorbs too freely. A ing for a fight with a man, so he retreated in confusion, leaving his hat, which the contains a small glassful. I think that the young woman still holds as a memento of canteen system should be permitted again, and that the transports should be allowed This Spaniard is said to have sent a boat to carry beer free for the soldiers. ad of provisions to the insurrectos a few

home-sick fellows wandering around here as though lost, and at dark all sit around was implicitly trusted by our officials. It in front of the quarters and talk of the and low's ran through the streets ringing is said that he was ordered to get the pro- "states" until "call to quarters" warns hand bells. Large crowds gathered around visions or lose his head, and that he did it them to retire, they would restore the can-to retain his body intact. It is said that teen or something similar that would help to cheer the men who are holding the flag in this inhospitable land.

The inhabitants of the latter are courageous fanatics, and I am of the opinion will give our government plenty of trouble in the

## Going Back to Maliobog.

We have been notified to get ready to go back to Mallobog, on the Island of Leyte, where we left last December. The insurrectos over there were on the verge of surrender to us when we were ordered away, and are probably waiting for us to return to consummate the negotiations. We expect a steamer any day now to take us to our old station.

The boys all seemed pleased to return to there. Here they are a scowling lot, and I have not cared to make any acquaint-ances. With a few exceptions, the men of and I am afraid that peace will not linger

ong among such beings. We hear rumors every now and then of great activity on the part of the insurrectos in Leyte, and particularly in the section hat this company controlled, but I do not believe it all. From what I have seen of them they are out in the hills for money and a good time. They are continually giving dances, and they can select any girl they see fit for a mistress. When they need money they send a threatening note to some business men in nearby towns, and

within a few hours their purse is full.

I have noticed in this town that the senoritas are taking a different view of the American soldiers than they did in the When we first came here they were afraid to look at us; now they appear to be all setting their caps for the desirable men. men out of a hundred do not intend to stay on the islands, and, if they do, will not

marry a full-blood Filipino. The officers are as courteous and gallant to these dusky damsels as they are at swell hops at home. There are no American women allowed to live on this island. The girls flirt with the soldiers, but they know that marriage is an impossibility.

## Warned by American Woman.

The wife of an American official at Tacloban pald a visit here some time ago to some Spanish families, and she warned the Filipino girls to take no stock in what the American officers told them as to love, as it was all "taffy."

She warned them particularly to beware of contract marriages on paper. This is the favorite method of the American who is taken with the charms of some belie. He knows that he won't marry her, and when she tells him that he must take her to the church he glibly tells her earnestly of his

"It is common in America," he tries to smile, which is equivalent to our old cus-tom without the remark, "Do you see

### Gladstone's Prophecy About America. From the St. James Gazette.

Prophecies, even when the prophets are politicians, sometimes come true. Here is a notable Gladstone utterance which we can now look back upon as quite prophetic. Speaking or writing twenty-five years ago of the "menace which, in the prospective development of her resources, America offers to the commercial pre-eminence of England," the "grand old man" predicted that America, and America alone, "can, and probably will, wrest from us that comreception. This is a nice, clean town, and mercial primacy. We have no title, I have the natives are generally very clean and no inclination, to murmur at the prospect If she acquires it, she will make the acquisition by the right of the strongest; but, in this instance, the strongest means the best. She will probably become what we are now, the head servant in the great household of the world, the employer of all em-ployed; because her service will be the most and ablest. We have no more title against her than Venice, or Genoa, or Hol-land has had against us."

The striking structural iron workers at

## French Troops Called on to Assist Commissaries.

A dispatch from Brest, France, yesterday says: The expulsion of the sisters at Concarneau was undertaken today. Scouts on automobiles reached the town at 2 clock in the morning from Quimper and reported that troops were on the way. The tocsin was rung, bugles were blown hand bells. Large crowds gathered around the railroad station and around the school. Several bodies of gendarmes and two companies of infantry arrived by a special train. The commissary ordered the school evacuated, at which the crowd shouted, "Long live the sisters!" The gendarmes advanced toward the school, but they were pulsed and a general scrimmage folowed. Later the troops reached the buildng and the police tried to break down the doorway with axes, but the resistance of the people continued.

The commissary finally forced an entrance to the school at Concarneau. When this had been accomplished the sisters, amid the vehement protests of the crowd,

Benzec was also forced. Here the sisters, when they emerged from the school buildng, were conducted to the church by the mayor and a procession of people, headed

irst offenders' law.

going are at present before the courts in various places in the provinces.

# Necessity for Storage Reservoirs in

A significant indication of the agricultural same thing to her before. Generally she is as never before to the necessity for storage, will pull down the cyclid of one eye, with a Although the shortage has been recommended. earlier than usual.

> gation, have resulted in filings being made ipon a great many reservoir sites throughout the state.

> Revolutionary and Government Forces of Venezuela Massing.

yesterday says: News has reached here by he Red D line steamer Caracas that the Venezuelan revolutionary forces under General Matos and the government troops under President Castro are expected soon to meet on the plains outside of Caracas in a

left the building.

Entrance to the school in the village of

by the national flag draped in crepe. Count Miribel, at Grenoble, has been sentenced to six days' imprisonment for breaking the seals which had been affixed to the nuns' school there. Two sons of the count were fined 20 francs each for insultng the commissary of police. These sentences, however, were reprievel under the

The court of appeal at Lyons has delared illegal the affixing of seals to certain nuns' schools and has ordered their removal on the ground that the buildings in question belonged to private owners and

not to the congregations.

A number of cases similar to the fore-

# AN IRRIGATION PROBLEM.

progress of the west is the growth of public opinion toward the fullest possible use of the streams for irrigation, and especially toward the conservation of the winter and spring flood waters which now run to waste. A recent report received by the United States geological survey, in its study of the country's water resources, from Mr. A. L. Fellows, resident hydrographer of the survey for the state of Colorado, throws interesting light upon the water situation now existing in that state. The urgent necessity for storage of water, says Mr. Fellows, was never more fully demonstrated than by the great scarcity of water in Colorado during the present irri-gation season. The gaugings of the streams by the United States geological survey show lower stages than have ever been known before at the same season, and the fact that a winter flow of considerable magnitude, although less than the normal might have been stored if reservoirs had been available, and the further fact that a number of floods of short duration, resultthe same is true to a less extent upon the western slope. Whereas in the eastern streams there has been practically no high stage, water being taken in the irrigation ditches before any high stage could be observed in the streams, on the western slopes the streams, while reaching a stage of considerable run off, have nevertheless attained their maxima at early periods, and have subsided quickly, so that low-water stages have come from one to two months These facts, taken in connection with the prevalent high charges for water and the increasing value of land susceptible of irri-

## DECISIVE BATTLE EXPECTED.

A dispatch from San Juan, Porto Rico,

# 10 to 11.

is well spent. The returns are great and sure, and are counted in the legions of friends we make.

Special lot of Women's High-prade Black Lawn and Batiste Shirt Walsts

Children's Well-made Percale Women's Fine White Pique skirts, beautifully trimmed with fine insert-ag and in plain styles, always sold at \$1.98—

New Cloth Walking Skirts, cirular flounce or flare, tallor stitched bottom Large remnants of Outing

9 to 10.

Flannel, new stock, will sell at Sc. yard 4%c. At 57/8c.-Dress Ginghams in full pieces, stripe and check effects, fast color, sell at 10c. At 61/2c.—Unbleached Sheeting

Muslin, 40 inches wide; extra good quality.

At 25c. - Ready - made Unblenched Sheets, hand torn, 54x90, excellent quality, sell at 39c. (2 to a buyer). At 27/8c.—White Victoria Lawn, large pieces; all perfect and worth much more than the hour sale price.

Boys' Waists, Merrimac per-Boys' Superior Grade Wash suits, made of excellent quality linen, trimmed with bands of bine and white braid; 3, 4, 7 and 8-year sizes; never sold under 75c.—29c. 36-inch White Curtain Scrim, pretty designs, worth 5c. yard-1%c.

Waterproof Felt Window Shades, several colors, with fixtures-64c Best Quality Mosquito Netting,

Men's 50c. Suspenders—19c. Men's Hose, fast black, 121/2c. Women's Fast Black Hose, sell

Tan and Black Paste Shoe Polish, 5c. size-6 boxes for 5c. Babies' White and Blue Lambskin Slippers, slightly soiled, were 50c.-9c

Men's and Boys' Covert Cloth orrugated Sola Rike Shoes, 75c. kinds-29c. Ladies' Kidskin, Button, Patent Leather Ttp Shoes, sizes 4 and 41/2, \$1.25 values

Ladies' and Misses' Trimmed Hats, in fine Tuscan and French chip, very modish; including many handsome effects in chiffon, ribbens and laces, mousselines, &c., few of a style, selling up to \$3.50-special at 49e. Lot 8 Fine Quality Flowers for hat tribming, including violet, rose and carnation folings; roses, violets, &c.; worth up to 87c.—10c.

# 10 to 11.

Boys' Wool Knee Pants, sell al-Boys' White Duck Knee Pants,

Boys' \$1.98 Sailor Blouse Wash Sults in headily with higher and plak striped chambrays; filed silk embrodered shields and collar; all sizes—for this hour, 75c.

Boys' Sailor Blouse Wash Suits. Choice of any Boy's Wash Suit, including finest qualities; selling up to \$2.98-

Lot of Boys' Finest Quality Blue Serge Coats, double breasted, sizes 6 to 12 years; sold at \$1-\$1.50. At 278c.—Lot of Turkish and

Suits, all colors, beautifully braid trimmed, a considerable variety, 3 to 8 years, always sold at \$1.49-69c.

The Hetht Credit Way gives you the privilege of having your purchases charged at actual cash prices.

Immense Hour Sale Savings

These wonderful Hour Sales are a constant source of surprise to patrons and competitors alike. "How can you afford it?" is a query

which has come to us thousands of times. We afford it for the reason that the matter of profits is out of the question—it's an advertising proposition pure and simple. There's a substantial loss on every item—this we charge to advertising, and the results show that the money

Tomorrow's Hour Sales Bring Prices a Notch Lower Than Ever-Every Moment Means Matchless Savings.

At 19c.—Double-warp All-silk Surahs, very serviceable quality, fine line of shades; sell at 39c. yard. At 75c.-Lot of All-linen Dam-

At 29c.-French Silk Mousseline, extra fine, sheer and soft, very lustrous, good line of colors; sells usually at 49c. At 5c.-Lot of Wash Dress Gooda, including Lawns, Dimities, etc.; full pieces and waist and dress lengths; worth up to 12½c. Men's Leather Belts, big va-

Men's Silk Garters, 25c. kind-Heavy Stair or Runner Oil-Heavy White Bedspreads, pretty designs; sell at 60c. (1 to a buyer)-39c

White Dotted Curtain Swiss, Pretty Japanese Matting Mats, Nottingham Curtain Ends, nandsome designs; sell up to 30c.-15c.

Choice from large lot of fine Grass Linen, Black Duck, Polka Dot Skirts, very serviceable and dressy-79c. New Tan Cheviot and Covert Cloth Etons and Coats, serge silk lined-\$2.98. 50 Wrappers, lawn and batiste, light and dark, all splendidly made and worth \$1-this hour. 39c.

Women's Drawers, good cambric, deep ruffle-121/4 Fine White Waists, with strips

Washable Underskirts, seersucker and linen-39c Boys' and Youths' Linen Duck Girls' Patent Leather and Kid Skin Strap Sandals and Oxfords, sizes up to 2, values up to \$1.25-55c.

Ladies' Chrome Kid Oxfords, Babies' Tan Button Shoes, sizes 2 to 6. 75c. kinds-39c. Ladies' Elegantly Trimmed Hats, including beautiful styles in summer millinery; trimmed with best quality mousseline, liberty silk, ribbons, flowers, etc.; worth and selling for \$7 and \$8-\$1.25.

5c.—New Polka Dot Lawns, all newest style dots and colorings; large mill lengths. At 97/sc.—Russian Ducks and Wash Cheviots, polks dots, stripes and figures; regular 121/2e. value.

At 47/8c.-Lot of India Linens. Plain Bookfold Dimities and Hemstitched and Open-work White Goods; all nice qualities; worth up to 10c. yard. At 97/sc.—Brown Dress Linen, always selling at 18c. yard, but two pieces left

At 25c.—Mohair, in navy, red and black, 36 inches wide; sells at 39c - Boys' Best Quality 49c. Wash Boys' Wool Knee Pants, the

kind always sold at 69c .- 39c Boys' "Brownie" Overalls, all Boys' Sailor Blouse Wash

## 11 to 12.

I Boys' Finest Grade Russian Blouse Suff, elegant quality white serge, beautifully trimmed with white silk soutache braid on brown silk; white kid belt; size 5 years; lot sold at \$6.98—very special at \$2.98. Men's Balbriggan Underwear,

Men's \$1 Madras Neglige Shirts Men's Madras Neglige Shirts,

Choice from lot of 500 new and most desirable Persian Lawn and India Linea Walsts, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery, some tucked all ever; worth and selling for \$3; all sizes—this hour, \$1.19.

Ladies' New Lawn Kimona Wrappers, last of the great lot which sold at \$1-69c. Children's Dresses of best mad-

Corsets in all sizes and lengths, daintily lace trimmed, the kind always sold at 50c.-29c. Special lot of Wash Skirts, in

India linen, madras and grass linen—about 25 in all. Choice this hour, 49c. Brilliantine and Cheviot Dress Skirts, very stylish, navy and black, full but-toned back, rows of tailor stitching \$4.98. Pretty Ingrain Carpet Rem-

Wool Rug Fringe, several colors. worth 10c. yard-47/sc. Good Quality 5-4 Oilcloth, white marbled and colors—94c. White Applique Scarfs, covers and centerpieces, worth up to 30c.-141/c. Best Grade "Capitol" Window

Ladies' Lambskin Boudoir Slippers. assorted colors, 50c, regularly-25c, Boys' and Youths' Tan Shoes, russet grain, neat shapes, broken sizes, worth up to \$2-89c.

Elegant Colonial Slippers for Ladies, patent leather and vict kid, all sizes, \$2.50 quality-\$1.39. Babies' Vici Kid Strap San-dals and Shoes, sizes up to 6, usually 45c.-

Beautiful creations in High-

class Summer Millinery, including elaborately and elegantly trimmed hats, which were made to sell as high as \$15-choice, \$1.98.

# 12 to 1.

Men's Tennis Oxfords, tan and Ladies' Vici Kid Oxford Ties, patent and stock tip, all sizes, sell at \$1.75-

At 97/8c.-Ready-made Bleach-At 29c.—Bleached Sheets,

At 67/8c.—Genuine "Fruit of the

## 1 to 2.

Good Quality 5-4 Table Oil-Pretty Piano and Mantel Lambrequins, made of handsome art drapery-23c. At 27/8c.—Linen Skirting Crash selling usually at Sc. yard.

At 61/2c.—Fancy Striped Dimitles and White India Linen, good 8c. value. SPECIAL-Any pair of Ladies' Tan Shoes or Oxfords in the house, values up to \$3.50-59c,

## 1 to 2.

(CONTINUED.)

At 9%c .- 40-inch Plain and Boys' Thin Coats, best Simp-Children's Gingham Aprons

Men's Duck Lace Shoes, pearl

2 to 3. Choice of any Pique, Duck or Linen Skirt, many elegant styles selling at high price-\$1.98.

oler, broken sizes, were \$2-97c.

Wrappers made of excellent grade percale, fast colors, full width, nicely trimmed with deep ruffles, all sizes 69c. Heavy Stair or Runner Oilcloth Remnants, worth 10c, vard 274c 40 - inch - wide White Curtain

Swiss, pretty designs, worth 10c. yard-5%c. Boys' White Duck Knee Pants,

Boys' 49c. Wool Knee Pants-Boys' "Brownie" Overalls, all

At 77/sc.-Black Lawn, perspiration proof, full pieces; 10c. vale At 278c.—Barbers' Honeycomb

At 29c.—8-4 Turkey Red Table At 39c. - All-linen Fringed Fancy and Plain White Doylles, good size. At 47/sc.--Unbleached Turkish Towels, selling always at Sc. (4 to a buyer.

Boys' \$1.49 Wash Suits, sailor Boys' Linen Crash Knee Pants,

At 278c.—Cheese Cloth, good At 37/sc.—Apron Ginghams, Pretty Japanese Matting Mats,

Choice of any White Dress, 8 to 14 years, worth \$3 to \$5-\$1.98. Women's Vici Kid Lace Shoes, patent leather tip, neat shapes, \$1.50 kind

# 4 to 5.

Ladies' Red Vici Kid Strap Sandals, beaded and plain, broken sizes, self at \$1.25-39c. Boys' Velvet Calf and Vici Kid-

Lace Shees, sizes 13 to 519, always sell at \$1.50-97c. Choice from about 500 Wash Skirts, including beautiful white piques, all splendid grade-79c.

25 handsome Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts, elegantly trimmed, some benutifully corded and hemstitched; hone worth less than \$15-this hour, \$9.98. Lot of slightly mussed Corset

overs, fine qualities, larger sizes, worth 25c. Women's Fine Cambric Drawers, neatly tucked ruffies, full width 29c. . Pretty Smyrna Rugs, worth

# HECHT'S GREATER STORES, 513-515 7th.

of Maine,

against the life of President Castro are said to have been discovered.

A dispatch from Port of Spain says: The Venezuelan revolutionists are attacking Cumana and intend to storm the city within twenty-four hours. The government cannot oppose more than 350 to the 1.100 revolutionists composing the attacking party. Cumana is a town of about 10,000 inhabitants, situated in the state of Bermudese, on the Guif of Cariaco. A dispatch from Berlin says: The news papers here display news from Venezuela

rominently and print everything available from New York on the probable landing of marines by the United States or Germany, or both. Unusual interest is taken in cur rent events in Central America, especially in the comments of American newspapers respecting possible necessity for interven-The Lokal Anzeiger refers to the great interest of foreigners in the preservation of order, and thinks the landing of American and German marines altogether justi fied, considering the half-civilized people

The Tageblatt says that anarchy in Ven

ezuela calls for intervention, especially on the part of the United States. The foreign office repeated today to local ournalistic inquirers the statement made to the Associated Press yesterday that nothing is known there of the reported landing of German marines.

But Chicago Grand Jury Fails to Charge Crime. A dispatch from Chicago yesterday says: Walter L. Stebbinss, who on Saturday stabbed to dath leter A. Scott, president of the Illinois Wife Company, in the latter's office in the Monadnock building, was held to the stand ury today by the coro-

WALTER L. STEBBINGS HELD.

ner's jury. No charge of crime was made against Stebbings, but the jury recommended that the grand jury investigate the killing. Stebbings testified in his own behalf at the inquest, and stated that at no time during the time Scott was striking and kicking by the continental troops. him did he knowingly stab him. The thought of such a thing, he said, never came to him. He said that just before he called upon Scott, whose office was just across the hill from his own, he had received a letter. This he was opening with a paper knife when he went into Scott's office. Stebbings said he was in a dazed confice. a paper kings sald he was in a dazed condition from the attack of Scott, who kicked him and plished him from his office. He struck at Scott, but did not know he used

BRIGHTER OUTLOOK IN CUBA. Sugar Planters Preparing to Increase Their Output.

Miss Myrtle Shumate, Scott's stenogra-

pher, testified practically to the same story, save that she said she heard Stebbings call

mildest in the history of the coroner's of-

cott a liar. The verdict is said to b

A dispatch from Havana yesterday says: La Discusion publishes an article this afternoon on the future of Cuba. The paper says that in spite of the dark outlook, pri- conducting surveys and securing the nec-

and some cannon from Germany. Plots tions of improved machinery to his estates, terial is worked up and placed in the hands Filipino republic may be established with and expects to obtain 100,000 sacks of sugar from his next crop. Another planter one hundred topographic map sheets, which is said also to have increased his sugar machinery and to be hopeful of securing 40,000 sacks of sugar next season.

According to the article, Senor Mena has

likewise rebuilt his sugar estates, bought new machinery, and hopes to make 100,000 sacks of sugar from his next crop. It is pointed out by La Discusion that state-ments like the foregoing do not bear out the assertion that without the aid of a oan of \$4,000,000 there will be no sugar crop next year. V. de Abad is the author of a letter published in La Lucha this afternoon appealing to those principally interested to

### promise of the assistance of good writers. AN INTERESTING REGION. Study of Ancient Rock Areas in New

The anouncement is made that during the present season Prof. J. E. Wolff of the United States geological survey will continue the investigation of the areal and structural geology in the crystalline areas of New Jersey in co-operation with the on application, small index sheets or fold-

Jersey.

Jersey, forming a belt 15 to 20 miles in breadth, which extends diagonally across the state. They also enter New York and are crossed by the Hudson river at West Point. In New Jersey Lake Hopatcong, Greenwood lake—which is partly in New York as well-and other well-known local resorts are found among them. The area is of considerable economic value by reason of its extensive deposits of iron ore, which at Franklin, Hibernia and

These areas coincide with the pictur-

esque mountain region of northern New

To the geologist the region is of great interest and importance and presents many complicated problems, which at times have baffled even the experts. It is composed of rocks intensely folded, crystallized and to be very great, is in some sections still undetermined. From the work already done in the region indications point to the conclusion that much of the rock here exposed belongs to Archean time, in which case it would be classed with similar areas in Canada and limited sections in the United States as that part of the continent which is of the greatest antiquity

## Progress of Topographic Mapping of

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

the United States. According to the assignment of work for the present season, recently announced by

the director of the United States geological survey, the topographic branch will this summer have seventy surveying parties in the field. These parties will be engaged in

of the printer, it will be embodied in about will represent approximately 32,000 square miles of country, an area nearly as large as that of New England without the state

The surveys are made with great care and the resulting maps are models of the car-tographer's art in beauty and finish and precision and accuracy of detail; their extreme cheapness also recommends them for maps issued by the geological survey is a sheet 16½ by 20 inches, covering an area of 15 minutes, 30 minutes, or 1 degree in extent each way, depending on the scale em-ployed. One of the interesting and useful pealing to those principally interested assist toward starting a weekly review, to be published in New York city, and to be published in New York city, and to be points of equal elevation at regular interpolation of the economic interests of Cuba. the country is flat or rugged in character, and from these lines, known as "contours," it is possible, by noting whether they lie near together or distant on the map, to hills, the extent of the valleys, and their altitudes above sea level. This feature greatly adds to their value for engineers,

> knowledge of the topography is of importtailed information regarding its map publications, the geological survey distributes, ers for the different states, which show, by a system of small rectangles stamped on a key map, the exact territory surveyed and mapped in each, and also the scale of miles. names, areas, manner of purchase and other facts of interest connected with the published maps.

tourists and others to whom an accurate

### HOLMES A CONSERVATIVE MAN. New Judge Not Likely to Force Personal Views.

A special to the New York World from Boston says: Those who best know Judge elsewhere are now being worked. During Oliver Wendell Holmes and who are most revolutionary times it was the source of ost of the ordnance and ammunition used are of the opinion that President Roosevelt acted with full knowledge of the man in appointing him to the Supreme Bench of the United States. By those who have but a cursory knowledge of Judge Holmes and his process of arriving at conclusions and forming opinions, the fear has been expressed that as an "anti-imperialist" he might, by his vote in the Supreme Court, nullify much that has been done by that body concerning the administration's Philippine policy.
It has also been predicted that Judge

Holmes, holding radical opinions on ques-tions of federal taxation, the rights of combined labor as opposed to combined capital, and other matters of grave public importance might, in a closely divided court, cast his vote in a way to upset established conditions and so tend to demoralize business and the country generalize ally. No such fears are entertained by those who know Judge Holmes closely. That he has strong and radical opinions on all these and kindred subjects they do not deny, but they assert he is above all else a conservative man, slow to overrule a pre-cedent, and possessed of a profound respect for the established order of things. He is an anti-imperialist in the broad sense of Philadelphia have been granted an eight-hour workers at thours, and the structural iron workers at the close of the field season, this manifestation is an anti-imperialist in the broad sense of the control of thirty-three states and territories. When, and the control of thirty-three states are the control of thirty-three states and territories. When, and the control of thirty-three states are the control of the c

As between united labor and united capial, his leaning is said to be toward the former, but his intimates say that does not mean he would be fikely to countenance

violence or the infringement of property

rights. He has been described as being in full accord with the present administration

on all questions of great public importance and it may be stated positively that Presi-

### dent Roosevelt took personal pains to ascertain his views and his principles of reasoning before making the appointment

FARMERS FORM A TRUST. South Dakota Combination With Capi-

tal of \$50,000,000.

A dispatch from Pierre, S. D., says: The

Farmers' , National Co-operative Exchange Company has filed articles of incorporation, showing a capital of \$50,000,000. The purposes of the corporation are to buy, sell and deal in grains, provisions, live stock and all kinds of produce on commissions and otherwise, and for that purpose to build and equip grain elevators, ware-

business of the corporation. One-fourth of the capital stock will be used for building the elevators, yards and branch offices, and another fourth will be made a cash fund for dealing in grain and provisions on the board of trade. The remaining half of the capital stock will be left, virtually, with the farmers in various banks where the money has been raised to

houses, cold storage plants, stockyards and

whatever may be necessary to carry on the

enable them to hold their crops for a more favorable market. This will give the farmers \$25,000,000 back of their interests to help them in securing better prices for their products.

French Warship Off to Cape Haitien. A dispatch from Port au Prince, Halti yesterday, says: The French steamer Ferdi nand de Lesseps has sailed for Cape Hatfamiliar with his course as a judge here, tien, accompanied by the French cruiser D'Assas, which will protect the entry of the de Lesseps to the port in case of opposition from Admiral Killick on the gunboat Crete-a-Plerrot.

> A report reaches here to the effect that Admiral Killick has cut the cable between Mole St. Nicholas and Santiago, and in-tends to cut the cable between Mole St. Nicholas and Cape Haitien. All is quiet

## We Convince Skeptics.

Colds, Catarrh and Catarrhal Headache Relieved in 10 Minutes and Cured by Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal

Here's one of a thousand such testimonies. Rev. A. D. Buckley of Buffalo says: "I wish a.1 to know what a blessing Dr. Agnew's Catarrini Powder is in a case of Catarrin. I was troubled with this disease for years, but the first time I used this remedy it gave most delightful relief. I now regard myself entirely cured.